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METHODS OF WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The Committee on the Rights of the Child has on several occasions emphasized the importance it attaches to areas where technical assistance would seem appropriate in a particular country, as arising from the consideration of a State party's report and in the light of the provisions of article 45 (b) of the Convention.

2. A table indicating areas in which the need for technical advice and advisory services has been identified in the light of the observations adopted by the Committee at its third to twenty-ninth sessions is to be found in the annex to the present document.

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Annex

AREAS IDENTIFIED BY THE COMMITTEE FOR ADVISORY SERVICES AND TECHNICAL ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE

State party	State party report	Observations by the Committee	Areas identified for advisory services and technical assistance
ALGERIA	CRC/C/28/Add.4 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.76 (fifteenth session)	Para. 32 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to initiate studies and follow-up surveys on vulnerable groups of children.
ARMENIA	CRC/C/28/Add.9 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.119 (twenty-third session)	Para. 13 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 17 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 21 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 25 - International cooperation to undertake studies and information campaigns to combat discrimination. Para. 35 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 37 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and WFP to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 41 - International cooperation to prevent and combat the damaging effects of environmental degradation on children.

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ARMENIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.9 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.119 (twenty-third session)	Para. 45 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNESCO and OHCHR for the conduct of training programmes for teachers on human rights, including children's rights. Para. 47 - To continue and expand its cooperation with international agencies such as UNHCR and UNICEF to address the limited health, education and rehabilitation services available for refugee children. Para. 51 - International cooperation from, inter alia, ILO and UNICEF in the field of child labour. Para. 53 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for children victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 58 - Technical assistance in the field of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
AZERBAIJAN	CRC/C/11/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.77 (fifteenth session)	Para. 48 - International cooperation, if necessary, to address the physical, psychological and social reintegration needs of children affected by the armed conflict and related types of violence. Para. 49 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention for a comprehensive reform of the juvenile justice system.

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BAHRAIN	CRC/C/11/Add.24 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.175 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 10 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the strengthening of the Human Rights Committee, including the establishment of a focal point for children. Para. 12 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF in order to establish a data collection system. Para. 19 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF, for the dissemination of information on the Convention and the development of training programmes for all professional groups working for and with children. Para. 34 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF in order to develop skills-training programmes in community settings for parents, teachers, social workers and local officials to support children to express their informed view and opinions. Para. 38 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of ill-treatment and abuse of children, as well as domestic violence. Para. 40 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 42 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and UNESCO in order to include human rights education in school curricula. Para. 46 - Assistance from, among others, ILO in order to ratify ILO Convention No. 138 and ILO Recommendations Nos. 146 and 190. Para. 48 - In the area of juvenile justice, assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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BANGLADESH	CRC/C/3/Add.38 and Add.49 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.74 (fifteenth session)	Para. 44 - Present cooperation between the State party, international organizations such as ILO and UNICEF, and NGOs to be expanded. Para. 45 - Assistance from UNHCR to ensure adequate protection of refugee children and facilitate family reunification. Para. 46 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of the administration of juvenile justice.
BARBADOS	CRC/C/3/Add.45 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.103 (twenty-first session)	Para. 10 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 12 - International technical assistance to avoid the negative impact on children of economic restructuring policies. Para. 13 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the diffusion of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 22 - International assistance and advice on successful examples of how to overcome traditional social attitudes regarding corporal punishment. Para. 27 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, with a view to increasing the quality and relevance of education in accordance with articles 28 and 29 of the Convention.
BELARUS	CRC/C/3/Add.14 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.17 (fifth session)	Para. 18 - Assistance from UNICEF, WHO, OHCHR and other relevant organizations for, inter alia, the harmonization of legislation and measures with the Convention, the development of a coordinating body on children's rights, and determining the targeting of programmes, the major thrust of policies and the mobilization of resources for the rights of the child. International assistance for measures to cope with aftermath of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster.

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BELIZE	CRC/C/3/Add.46 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.99 (twentieth session)	Para. 7 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR to review the State party's domestic legislation. Para. 12 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 13 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 22 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 24 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 26 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 27 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 29 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for children victims of drug and substance abuse.

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BELIZE (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.46 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.99 (twentieth session)	Para. 30 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
BENIN	CRC/C/33/Add.52 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.106 (twenty-first session)	Para. 7 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to ensure that the State party's domestic legislation is in full conformity with the Convention. Para. 9 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 11 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 12 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 23 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 24 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality.

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BENIN (cont'd)	CRC/C/33/Add.52 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.106 (twenty-first session)	Para. 27 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 28 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 31 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for children victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
BHUTAN	CRC/C/3/Add.60 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.157 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, UNICEF and the European Network of Ombudspersons for Children for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution. Para. 23 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the establishment of a mechanism to systematically collect and analyse disaggregated data of all persons under 18 for all areas covered by the Convention. Para. 25 - Assistance from, among others, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and UNICEF for the development of human rights training programmes for all professional groups working for and with children.

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BHUTAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.60 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.157 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 33 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the development of skills-training programmes in community settings to assist children to express their informed views and opinions. Para. 41 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO to increase information and awareness of the ill-treatment of children in schools and within the family. Para. 45 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO with regard to adolescent health education. Para. 47 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO to provide, with regard to children with disabilities, adequate access to specialized services and education and support to families. Para. 51 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO for the inclusion of human rights in the curricula. Para. 53 - Assistance from UNHCR to expedite the verification process of refugees in Nepal and to ensure their repatriation and resettlement to their place of origin and choice. Para. 63 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the Coordination Panel on Juvenile Justice in the field of administration of juvenile justice.

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BOLIVIA	CRC/C/65/Add.1 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.95 (nineteenth session)	Para. 12 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 13 - Cooperation with UNICEF for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention, especially its translation in the three national languages other than Spanish. Para. 15 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 19 - Cooperation from NGOs and support from intergovernmental organizations to ensure that birth registration procedures are widely known and understood by the population at large. Para. 24 - International cooperation to ensure access to basic health care and services for all children and for the development of adolescent health policy and programmes. Para. 25 - Technical assistance from UNHCR to introduce legislation for the protection of refugee children. Para. 27 - Technical cooperation for the clearance of landmines. Para. 28 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.

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BULGARIA	CRC/C/8/Add.29 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.66 (fourteenth session)	Para. 22 - International cooperation for the development of a system of data collection and identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of juvenile justice.
BURKINA FASO	CRC/C/3/Add.19 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.19 (sixth session)	Para. 18 - Assistance from OHCHR in the field of the administration of juvenile justice; support from the international community in the fields of legislative review, training of law enforcement personnel, judges and other administration of justice officials and for the development of an adequate data-collection system on the situation of children.
BURUNDI	CRC/C/3/Add.58 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.133 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 23 - Technical assistance from UNICEF for training on the provisions of the Convention for particular professional groups, including teachers, health professionals including psychological care specialists, social workers, law enforcement officials, provincial and communal administrative officials, the members of provincial child rights committees, national ministerial officials with responsibility for children's rights, and members of the military. Para. 53 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to establish a programme of action to address all areas of concern with regard to children with disabilities. Para. 55 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and WHO to implement integrated policies and programmes for the management of childhood illnesses and measures for child and maternal health improvement. Para. 59 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and WHO to develop a comprehensive adolescent health care policy including the provision of reproductive health education and of specialized health assistance for the treatment of mental, reproductive and other health concerns confronting adolescents.

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BURUNDI (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.58 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.133 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 61 - Technical assistance from UNAIDS, UNICEF and WHO to pursue and increase its current efforts to promote awareness and prevention of HIV/AIDS. Para. 63 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and WHO to make psychological assistance available to those children who have experienced trauma and to increase human resources in the area of psychological care by providing specialized mental health training for existing health professionals. Technical assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO to ensure that children with disabilities have access to formal and vocational education opportunities and that girls and boys have equal access to education opportunities. Para. 64 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO to include "education for peace", children's rights and other human rights subjects in the curricula of primary and secondary schools. Para. 70 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to ensure that street and "hill" children are protected and have access to health and education services, giving special attention to the situation of girls.
CAMBODIA	CRC/C/1/Add.16 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.128 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 10 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF in the area of legislative reform. Para. 16 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for developing and strengthening the State party's data-collection system.

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CAMBODIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/1/Add.16 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.128 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 18 - International cooperation, within the framework of the donor's Consultative Group on Cambodia, to support the State party in fulfilling its obligation under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and OHCHR, for disseminating the principles and provisions of the Convention. Para. 22 - To continue with technical assistance programmes with OHCHR and UNICEF on the training for professionals working with and for children. Para. 30 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and other international organizations, in the area of birth registration. Para. 39 - International technical and financial assistance to develop alternative measures for children deprived of a family environment. Para. 41 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, to strengthen the capacity of the adoption bureau and to undertake legislative reform on adoption procedures. Para. 43 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international non-governmental organizations for taking effective measures to prevent and combat child abuse and ill-treatment of children. Para. 45 - To continue working with international agencies, such as UNICEF and WHO, to improve primary health services and in the reduction of child morbidity. Para. 47 - To continue working with UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS for the prevention of HIV/AIDS. Para. 49 - Technical assistance for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities.

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CAMBODIA (cont'd)	**CRC/C/1/Add.16 (initial)**	**CRC/C/15/Add.128 (twenty-fourth session)**	**Para. 57 - Technical assistance from UNHCR to introduce legislation for the protection of the rights of refugee children.** **Para. 59 - To continue working in cooperation with UNICEF for the rehabilitation and reintegration of under-age soldiers.** **Para. 60 - To continue working in cooperation with international agencies for the elimination of landmines.** **Para. 64 - Further technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to undertake legal reform to combat the sexual exploitation of children and to implement the Plan of Action against Sexual Exploitation of Children.** **Para. 66 - Technical assistance in the field of juvenile justice from, inter alia, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.**
CAMEROON	**CRC/C/28/Add.16 (initial)**	**CRC/C/15/Add.164 (twenty-eighth session)**	**Para. 14 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution.** **Para. 22 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training on the provisions of the Convention for all professional groups working with and for children.** **Para. 39 - Assistance from UNICEF in the area of alternative care for children.**

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CAMEROON (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.16 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.164 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 41 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF in the area of child abuse. Para. 43 - Cooperation and assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF for child health improvement. Para. 47 - Further technical assistance from, among others, UNAIDS in the area of HIV/AIDS. Para. 51 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 55 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO in the area of education. Para. 59 - Assistance from ILO to become a participating country to IPEC. Para. 68 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice and police training from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
CAPE VERDE	CRC/C/11/Add.23 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.168 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 23 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF. For the systematic education and training on the provisions of the Convention of all the professional groups working with and for children. Para. 25 - Technical assistance from UNESCO to increase the number of years of compulsory education and from ILO to increase the minimum age of labour. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF in the area of child abuse.

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CAPE VERDE (cont'd)	CRC/C/11/Add.23 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.167 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 50 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and WHO in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 52 - Technical assistance from among others, UNFPA and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 54 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to improve the education system. Para. 60 - Technical assistance from UNICEF in the area of street children. Para. 66 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice and police training from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	CRC/C/11/Add.18 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.138 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 15 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to update the National Plan of Action. Para. 17 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to create coordination mechanisms at national and local levels and to adopt a single integrated child rights policy. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to strengthen disaggregated data-collection procedures, according to the different criteria covered by the Convention. Para. 25 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and OHCHR to develop a long-term campaign to disseminate the Convention through diverse means, taking into consideration the high rates of illiteracy and the lack of access of the large majority of the population to television or radio broadcasts.

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CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC (cont'd)	CRC/C/11/Add.18 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.138 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 47 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and WHO to provide additional support to families and communities, inter alia, through assistance in combating the effects of poverty and in compensating for the loss of earnings and other support caused by HIV/AIDS illness or death among parents. Para. 49 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to adopt a programme to strengthen and increase alternative care opportunities for children deprived of their family environment, including the expansion of existing structures, the improved training of staff, the allocation of increased resources to relevant bodies and the provision of assistance to extended family members who take on responsibility for orphaned children. Para. 55 - International cooperation in this regard, including from UNICEF, WHO and others, to address health concerns among children and adults and to improve access for the whole population, including poor families, to health services. Para. 71 - International assistance, including from UNICEF and UNESCO, to raise the level of educational achievement among children through, inter alia, increasing the numbers of schools and classes available; the initial and ongoing training of more teachers and school inspectors; the development of standard national textbooks; increasing rates of enrolment; the provision of assistance with school fees, uniforms and other equipment to poor families. Para. 73 - Technical assistance from UNESCO and UNICEF to make the "Ambassadors for Peace" programme accessible to children who are currently excluded from the education process.

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CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC (cont'd)	CRC/C/11/Add.18 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.138 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 75 - Continue cooperation with UNHCR, making particular efforts to assist refugee children who are living or working in the streets. Para. 77 - International assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice. Para. 79 - Technical assistance from ILO/IPEC to develop a policy on child labour starting with the elimination of the worst forms of child labour.
CHAD	CRC/C/3/Add.50 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.107 (twenty-first session)	Para. 13 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 25 - International assistance and advice on successful examples of how to overcome traditional social attitudes regarding corporal punishment. Para. 26 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO and UNICEF for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 27 - International assistance to make basic health care, safe water and sanitation accessible to all children. Para. 28 - International cooperation from UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS to set up programmes relating to the incidence and treatment of children infected with or affected by HIV/AIDS. Para. 30 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to promote adolescent health policies and programmes, including by strengthening reproductive health education and counselling services. Para. 34 - To work in close cooperation with international agencies such as UNHCR and UNICEF for the protection of refugee children.

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CHAD (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.50 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.107 (twenty-first session)	Para. 35 - International assistance for the rehabilitation and social reintegration of former child soldiers, and in particular to provide compensation and support services to traumatized or permanently disabled former child soldiers.
CHILE	CRC/C/3/Add.18 (initial) CRC/C/65/Add.13 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.22 (sixth session) CRC/C/15/Add.173 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 17 - Assistance from OHCHR in establishing a legal system of administration of juvenile justice. Para. 9 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF to ensure the implementation of the amended Juvenile Act. Para. 13 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and OHCHR for the establishment of an independent and effective mechanism to monitor the implementation of the Convention, deal with complaints from children and provide remedies for violations of children's rights. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others UNICEF, UNESCO and OHCHR for the provision of training on children's rights to professional groups working with and for children. Para. 30 - Technical cooperation from, among others, UNICEF in the development of measures to take into account the views of children in all matters affecting them and integrate this principle in legislation, policies and programmes affecting children. Para. 38 - International cooperation and technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of child abuse. Para. 42 - In the area of adolescent health, technical assistance from, among others, UNFPA, UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS. Para. 44 - Technical assistance and international cooperation from, among others, UNESCO, UNICEF and WHO with reference to children with disabilities.

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CHILE (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.13 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.173 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 50 - Strengthening the cooperation with ILO/IPEC and UNICEF with reference to child labour. Para. 52 - International cooperation, among others, UNICEF, ILO and WHO in the area of commercial sexual exploitation of children. Para. 54 - In the area of juvenile justice, assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
CHINA	CRC/C/11/Add.7 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.56 (twelfth session)	Para. 29 - Cooperation with UNICEF is widely disseminating throughout the country, including through mass media, the principles and provisions of the Convention. Para. 39 - Cooperation with UNICEF, WHO and UNESCO for further training of staff in welfare institutions, for effective supervision of staff and periodic review of treatment provided to children in such institutions and, in light of other issues raised during the dialogue, for reviewing systems in place for monitoring welfare institutions and providing them with adequate financing. Para. 42 - Assistance from relevant United Nations bodies including OHCHR to review thoroughly the legislative and administrative measures and procedures in relation to juvenile justice to ensure their conformity with the Convention and other instruments relevant in this field.
COLOMBIA	CRC/C/8/Add.3 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.15 (preliminary) (fifth session) CRC/C/15/Add.30 (concluding) (eighth session)	Para. 16 - Closer cooperation with relevant international agencies to assess the implementation of the Convention and narrow the gap between law and practice. Para. 19 - Assistance from ILO in the area of child labour. Para. 24 - Cooperation with United Nations bodies and specialized agencies, including OHCHR, to embark upon major reform in all areas of concern indicated.

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COLOMBIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/70/Add.5 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.137 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 25 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to establish an independent and effective monitoring system for the Convention with a view to assessing progress achieved in the realization of children's rights and to evaluating policies for better implementation of the provisions of the Convention. Para. 29 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to disseminate the principles and provisions of the Convention as a measure to sensitize society about children's rights with special emphasis on the dissemination of the Convention among minority groups as well as in rural and remote areas. Para. 31 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to provide systematic education and training on the provisions of the Convention for all professional groups working for and with children, in particular parliamentarians, judges, lawyers, law enforcement officials, civil servants, municipal workers, personnel working in institutions and places of detention for children, teachers, health personnel, including psychologists, and social workers. Para. 46 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF to take effective measures, including reinforcing current multidisciplinary programmes and rehabilitation measures, to prevent and combat child abuse and ill-treatment of children within the family, at school and in society at large, by inter alia, strengthening law enforcement with respect to such crimes; by reinforcing adequate procedures and mechanisms to deal with complaints of child abuse in order to provide children with prompt access to justice and to avoid impunity for the offenders; and by establishing educational programmes to combat traditional attitudes within society regarding this issue.

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COLOMBIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/70/Add.5 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.137 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 49 - To continue working in cooperation with, inter alia, WHO, UNICEF and UNAIDS to ensure access to basic health care and services for all children including by guaranteeing equal access to health care; by combating malnutrition, with special emphasis on children belonging to indigenous groups and children living in rural and remote areas as well as in camps for internally displaced populations; by continuing efforts to prevent HIV/AIDS and by developing child-friendly counselling services as well as care and rehabilitation facilities for adolescents. Para. 51 - Technical cooperation for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 53 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen programmes on human rights education, including the rights of the child, and include them into teacher training programmes and school curricula. Para. 57 - Cooperation with United Nations agencies and bodies such as UNICEF to address the physical needs of child victims of the armed conflict, in particular child amputees, and the psychological needs of all children affected directly or indirectly by the traumatic experiences of war, including by developing as quickly as possible a long-term and comprehensive programme of assistance, care, rehabilitation and reintegration. Para. 64 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC.

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COLOMBIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/70/Add.5 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.137 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 66 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the United Nations International Narcotics Control Board to protect children from the illicit use of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances and to prevent the use of children in the illicit production and trafficking of such substances, and by supporting rehabilitation programmes dealing with child victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 73 - International assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
COMOROS	CRC/C/28/Add.13 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.141 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 8 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR to accede to international and regional human rights instruments in order to strengthen the protection of human rights. Para. 10 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to complete the process of law review and, where appropriate, adopt or amend legislation so as to ensure the harmonization of applicable provisions of the different jurisdictions (traditional, Islamic and civil law), ensuring their conformity with the provisions and principles of the Convention. Para. 18 - International assistance for the implementation of the principles and provisions of the Convention, bearing in mind the need to strengthen national capacity. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for adequate and systematic training and/or sensitization of traditional and religious leaders as well as professional groups, including those working with and for children (e.g. judges, lawyers, law enforcement officials, parliamentarians, civil servants, local government officials, personnel working in institutions and places of detention for children, teachers, health personnel, including psychologists, and social workers).

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COMOROS (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.13 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.141 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 32 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international non-governmental organizations to prevent and combat child abuse and ill-treatment of children within the family, at school and other institutions, and in society at large, and by establishing educational programmes to combat traditional attitudes within society regarding this issue. Para. 34 - Cooperation with international agencies to adopt effective plans to combat childhood and maternal mortality such as the WHO/UNICEF programme of Integrated Management of Childhood Illness (IMCI). Para. 35 - Continuation of international technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS to prevent HIV/AIDS, including awareness-raising and educational campaigns. Para. 38 - Technical assistance, from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to establish special education programmes for children with disabilities and for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to address the situation of children living and/or working in the streets. Para. 44 - If necessary, further international assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 49 - International cooperation, including, for example, through ILO/IPEC, to eliminate the worst forms of child labour. Para. 53 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, the member organizations of the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, (OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF) to ensure that the juvenile justice system is in full conformity in practice, as well as in the legislation, with the provisions of the Convention.

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COSTA RICA	CRC/C/65/Add.7 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.117 (twenty-third session)	Para. 12 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 13 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 20 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 23 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 24 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNESCO and OHCHR for the conduct of training programmes for teachers on human rights, including children's rights. Para. 26 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC in the implementation of the National Plan for the Elimination of Child Labour. Para. 28 - International cooperation and technical assistance with regard to juvenile justice from, inter alia, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, OHCHR, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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CÔTE D'IVOIRE	CRC/C/8/Add.41 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.155 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 13 - Technical assistance from, among others, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and UNICEF for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the education and training on the provisions of the Convention for all professional groups working for and with children. Para. 37 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF with reference to the protection of children from abuse. Para. 39 - Cooperation and assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF for child health improvement. Para. 47 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO to assist children with disabilities. Para. 51 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO to improve the quality of education and to ensure equal access to educational opportunities for all children, including those with disabilities. Para. 54 - Assistance from ILO/IPEC for the ratification and implementation of ILO Conventions Nos. 138 and 182. Para. 63 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice in the areas of juvenile justice and police training.

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CUBA	CRC/C/8/Add.30 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.72 (fifteenth session)	Para. 30 - International cooperation for the collection, compilation and analysis of disaggregated data concerning children up to the age of 18, including information on the violations of the rights of the child.
DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA	CRC/C/3/Add.41 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.88 (eighteenth session)	Para. 20 - International cooperation to prevent and combat malnutrition in children with all appropriate measures. Para. 22 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators with a view to addressing all areas of the Convention and all groups of children. Para. 24 - International cooperation, especially from UNICEF, for the incorporation of the Convention in the curricula of all educational institutions and appropriate measures to facilitate access by children to information on their rights; comprehensive training programmes for professional groups working with and for children; and dissemination activities about the Convention. Para. 31 - International cooperation to study the impact of environmental pollution on children.
DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO	CRC/C/3/Add.57 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.153 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 10 - Assistance from UNICEF and OHCHR for the development of a children's law code. Para. 12 - Technical assistance from UNICEF, WHO, ILO and other intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations for the establishment of an independent monitoring mechanism for the implementation of the Convention. Para. 24 - Assistance from UNICEF and OHCHR for the use of education and human rights promotion to address discriminatory attitudes.

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DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.57 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.153 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 50 - Assistance from UNICEF and WHO to improve the health situation of children. Para. 52 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF with regard to children with disabilities. Para. 54 - Assistance from UNICEF and WHO with regard to children affected by HIV/AIDS. Para. 56 - Assistance from the United Nations Population Fund, WHO and UNICEF in the field of adolescent health, including mental and reproductive health services. Para. 58 - Assistance from WHO and UNICEF to raise awareness of the harmful effects of female genital mutilation and the detrimental effects on the health of children and women of food taboos. Para. 62 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO in order to improve the quality of education and strengthening educational infrastructures. Para. 70 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to train the police force and border officials to combat the sale, trafficking and sexual exploitation of children and to develop programmes to provide assistance, including health care and rehabilitative and social reintegration assistance, to child victims of sexual exploitation.
DJIBOUTI	CRC/C/8/Add.39 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.131 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop a data-collection system in all areas covered by the Convention. Paras. 20 and 22 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention.

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DJIBOUTI (cont'd)	CRC/C/8/Add.39 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.131 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 24 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the dissemination of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 42 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO and UNICEF to strengthen health care policies, including HIV/AIDS prevention programmes. Para. 46 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO and UNICEF in the field of adolescent health. Para. 48 - Further international assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the State party's educational system. Para. 54 - Technical assistance from ILO/IPEC in the area of child labour. Para. 56 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and UNDCP to combat and prevent drug and substance abuse. Para. 60 (b) - Technical assistance from, inter alia, the member organizations of the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice in Juvenile Justice, including OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, to ensure that the juvenile justice system is in full conformity with the Convention.

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DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	CRC/C/8/Add.40 and 44 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.150 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 14 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the establishment of an independent and effective system for monitoring compliance with the Convention. Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to assure the dissemination of the Convention among minority groups, as well as in rural and remote areas. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to continue providing systematic education and training on the provisions of the Convention for all the professional groups working with and for children. Para. 34 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF to establish educational programmes to combat traditional attitudes within society regarding child abuse and ill-treatment of children. Para. 40 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 50 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
ECUADOR	CRC/C/3/Add.44 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.93 (nineteenth session)	Para. 14 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators with a view to addressing all areas of the Convention and all groups of children. Para. 15 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention.

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ECUADOR (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.44 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.93 (nineteenth session)	Para. 20 - Cooperation from NGOs and support from intergovernmental organizations to ensure that birth registration procedures are widely known and understood by the population at large. Para. 21 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international NGOs for the development of social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 22 - International cooperation for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat malnutrition in children. Para. 24 - International cooperation to prevent and combat the damaging effects of environmental degradation, including pollution, on children. Para. 28 - Technical assistance from UNHCR to introduce legislation for the protection of refugee children. Para. 29 - Technical cooperation from ILO to prevent and combat the economic exploitation of children. Para. 32 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.

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EGYPT	CRC/C/65/Add.9 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.145 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to ensure that disaggregated data on persons under 18 years relating to the rights contained in the Convention are systematically collected and regularly updated by the Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics. Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution in accordance with the Paris principles. Para. 22 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to strengthen the State party's efforts to develop systematic and ongoing training programmes on the provisions of the Convention for all professional groups working with and for children. Para. 36 - Technical assistance from inter alia, UNICEF for the development of skills-training programmes in community settings for teachers, social workers and local officials to assist children to express their informed views and opinions and to have them taken into consideration. Para. 38 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the strengthening of programmes for the rehabilitation and reintegration of abused children and for the training of teachers, law enforcement officials, care workers, judges and health professionals in the identification, reporting and management of cases of ill-treatment. Para. 40 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and relevant NGOs in the field of children with disabilities, in particular for the development of standardized definitions and terminology relating to disabilities, in order to collect comprehensive data on these children and for the promotion of community-based rehabilitation programmes and inclusive education.

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EGYPT (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.9 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.145 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 42 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in order to improve the State party's health structure. Para. 44 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the provision of reproductive health education and child-friendly counselling and rehabilitation services for adolescents. Para. 48 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO and relevant NGOs in order to pursue universal access to education, with a focus on the girl child and children belonging to the most vulnerable groups. Para. 54 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
ETHIOPIA	CRC/C/8/Add.27 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.67 (fourteenth session)	Para. 26 - Technical assistance from UNICEF for improving the data-collection system and for further studies and follow-up surveys on vulnerable groups of children. Para. 33 - Cooperation with ILO with a view to envisaging ratification of ILO Convention No. 138. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of the administration of juvenile justice. Para. 36 - Organization of a meeting of international organizations, including organizations and agencies of the United Nations system and NGOs and national authorities, to assess needs for further international assistance to promote and protect child rights.

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ETHIOPIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/70/Add.7 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.144 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 25 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and OHCHR for training on the provisions of the Convention to professionals working with and for children and for dissemination of the Convention. Para. 31 - Assistance from UNICEF for the implementation of the non-discrimination provisions of the State party's Constitution. Para. 37 - Assistance from UNICEF regarding children's right to be heard. Para. 43 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNHCR to strengthen efforts to ensure family reunification. Para. 53 - Assistance from WHO, UNICEF and UNDP to strengthen the national health infrastructure. Para. 67 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO to increase the enrolment of girls in primary and secondary schools and to ensure that all children enrolled are able to complete their education. Para. 69 - Assistance from UNICEF and the United Nations Mission to Ethiopia and Eritrea (UNMEE) to ensure that relevant children's rights concerns are taken into consideration in peace related deliberations and other activities and that demining efforts are continued. Para. 75 - Assistance from ILO for the implementation of the provisions of ILO Convention No. 182 concerning the Prohibition and Immediate Action for the Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labour. Para. 77 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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FIJI	CRC/C/28/Add.7 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.89 (eighteenth session)	Para. 29 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of a comprehensive system of collecting disaggregated data on the situation of children in the various areas covered by the Convention. Para. 31 - International cooperation for the full implementation of article 4 of the Convention. Para. 40 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 42 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and ILO to prevent and combat economic exploitation. Para. 43 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to prevent and combat drug and substance abuse among children. Para. 46 - International assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the administration of juvenile justice.
GABON	CRC/C/41/Add.10 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.171 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 11 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF in order to establish an office, accessible to children, to effectively monitor and evaluate progress in the implementation of the Convention. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF in order to disseminate the Convention, including by training professional groups working with and for children.

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GABON (cont'd)	CRC/C/41/Add.10 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.171 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 38 - Assistance from UNICEF with reference to children in institutions. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of abuse against children. Para. 42 - Cooperation and assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF for child health improvement. Para. 44 - Further assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF to extend the vaccination coverage in all parts of the country. Para. 48 - Further assistance from, among others, UNAIDS in order to increase its efforts to prevent HIV/AIDS. Para. 50 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 54 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO in the area of education. Para. 58 - Continuation of ILO/IPEC assistance in the area of child labour. Para. 68 - In the area of juvenile justice, assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
GAMBIA	CRC/C/3/Add.61 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.165 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 12 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the review of all existing legislation to ensure its full conformity with the principles and provisions of the Convention. Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNFPA, UNDP and UNICEF for the establishment of a comprehensive mechanism to collect disaggregated data on children.

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GAMBIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.61 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.165 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the establishment of a monitoring mechanism to deal with complaints of violations of the rights of children. Para. 22 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training and/or sensitization of professional groups working with and for children. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and UNDP in the area of child abuse. Para. 43 - Continuation of cooperation with, among others, WHO and UNICEF through the Integrated Management of Childhood Illnesses and other measures for the improvement of child health. Para. 45 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 47 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNAIDS, in the area of HIV/AIDS. Para. 51 - Technical cooperation from, among others, WHO and UNESCO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 55 - Closer cooperation with UNICEF and UNESCO in order to strengthen the State party's educational system. Para. 68 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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GEORGIA	CRC/C/41/Add.4/ Rev.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.124 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 14 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNFPA and UNICEF to develop a comprehensive system of data collection incorporating all the areas covered by the Convention. Para. 18 - International Cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 20 - To continue with its technical cooperation programmes with, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF on the dissemination of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 44 - To continue the cooperation with UNICEF and WHO regarding the implementation of the Integrated Management of Childhood Illnesses Initiative. Para. 46 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 48 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 50 - International cooperation from, inter alia, the World Bank to eradicate poverty, especially among children. Para. 52 - To strengthen its educational system through closer cooperation with UNICEF and UNESCO.

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GEORGIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/41/Add.4/ Rev.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.124 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 56 - To implement the "New Approach" internal displacement as developed by UNDP, UNHCR, the World Bank and OCHA. Para. 58 - Technical cooperation for the eradication of landmines from, inter alia, the United Nations Mine Action Service (UNMAS). Para. 60 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC in the fight against child labour. Para. 64 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the United Nations International Narcotics Control Board for protecting children against drug and substance abuse. Para. 68 (b) - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
GHANA	CRC/C/3/Add.39 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.73 (fifteenth session)	Para. 30 - International cooperation for the development of a system of data collection and analysis as well as the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators with a view to addressing all areas of the Convention and all groups of children in society. Para. 40 - International cooperation to prevent and combat malnutrition. Para. 43 - Further international cooperation for the implementation of measures identified for the application of the provisions of articles 28 and 29 of the Convention.

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GHANA (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.39 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.73 (fifteenth session)	Para. 46 - Technical assistance from competent international organizations, such as WHO, to prevent and combat drug and substance abuse among children and support rehabilitation programmes. Para. 48 - Technical assistance from the OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention for a comprehensive reform of the juvenile justice system.
GRENADA	CRC/C/3/Add.55 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.121 (twenty-third session)	Para. 7 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to undertake legislative review in the field of children's rights. Para. 10 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 11 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 20 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 22 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat child malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 23 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 25 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system.

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GRENADA (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.55 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.121 (twenty-third session)	Para. 27 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for child victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 28 (d) - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
GUATEMALA	CRC/C/3/Add.33 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.58 (twelfth session)	Para. 28 - International cooperation in particular from UNICEF in developing a system of data collection and identifying appropriate disaggregated indicators. Para. 29 - International cooperation from UNICEF and other organizations to disseminate information and education about children's rights to children and adults alike. Para. 35 - International cooperation from relevant international organizations to address issues relating to the reproductive health of women. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from relevant international organizations, including OHCHR, in revising the juvenile justice system. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from ILO in launching effective public awareness campaigns for the prevention and elimination of child labour.

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GUATEMALA (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.10 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.154 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 15 - International cooperation and technical assistance to reduce poverty among children and to develop a child-sensitive budget. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF, UNESCO and OHCHR for the training and sensitization of professional groups working with and for children and to fully integrate the Convention in the curricula at all levels of the educational system. Para. 31 - International cooperation for the physical and psychological recovery and social reintegration of child victims of torture. Para. 33 - International assistance from, among others, UNICEF for social assistance to families. Para. 37 - International cooperation and technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO to provide support services for the physical and psychological recovery and social reintegration of the victims of rape, abuse, neglect, ill-treatment and violence. Para. 39 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO with regard to children with disabilities. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO, UNICEF and the United Nations Population Fund to prevent child mortality and morbidity and address the high number of maternal mortality rates. Para. 43 - Technical cooperation from, among others, UNFPA, UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS in the field of adolescent health. Para. 47 - Technical cooperation from, among others, UNESCO and UNICEF to improve the quality of education. Para. 49 - International cooperation with, among others, UNDP, UNHCR and HABITAT to help children affected by armed conflict and ensure adequate protection to internally displaced children.

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GUATEMALA (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.10 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.154 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 51 - Cooperation with ILO/IPEC to combat and eradicate as effectively as possible all forms of child labour. Para. 53 - International cooperation to develop programmes to prevent, combat and eliminate sexual exploitation and abuse of children. Para. 55 - International cooperation from, among others, UNICEF and WHO to provide children living in the street with rehabilitation services for physical, sexual and substance abuse. Para. 58 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
GUINEA	CRC/C/3/Add.48 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.100 (twentieth session)	Para. 8 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to review the State party's domestic legislation. Para. 10 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 11 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 24 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality.

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GUINEA (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.48 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.100 (twentieth session)	Para. 25 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS for the strengthening of programmes relating to the incidence and treatment of children infected with and affected by HIV/AIDS. Para. 27 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the strengthening of reproductive health education programmes and counselling services. Para. 28 - International cooperation for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 30 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO for the strengthening of the educational system. Para. 31 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNHCR and UNICEF to introduce legislation and alternative care measures for refugee children. Para. 32 - International cooperation from ILO in the field of child labour. Para. 33 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for children victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 36 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.

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HONDURAS	CRC/C/3/Add.17 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.24 (seventh session)	Para. 22 - Organization of a meeting with members of the Committee, the donor community, the World Bank, IMF, UNICEF and other intergovernmental and NGOs to discuss the availability of resources to implement the Convention within the framework of international cooperation. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from UNHCR to introduce legislation for the protection of the rights of refugees.
	CRC/C/65/Add.2 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.105 (twenty-first session)	Para. 14 - International cooperation to reinforce the existing coordinating mechanisms involved in children's rights. Para. 15 - To continue working, supported by international cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to publicize the Convention in innovative ways, taking into consideration the needs of indigenous and ethnic groups. Para. 17 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO, for training on the Convention of professionals working with and for children. Para. 18 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 26 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse.

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HONDURAS (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.2 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.105 (twenty-first session)	Para. 27 - To continue, supported by international cooperation, to ensure access to basic health care and services for children. Para. 28 - To continue, supported by international cooperation, with its efforts in the prevention of HIV/AIDS. Para. 29 - Technical cooperation for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 30 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 33 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC for the establishment and implementation of a national plan of action for the elimination of child labour. Para. 36 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to conduct training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
HUNGARY	CRC/C/8/Add.34 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.87 (eighteenth session)	Para. 38 - Technical assistance in the field of the administration of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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INDIA	CRC/C/28/Add.10 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.115 (twenty-third session)	Para. 21 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 25 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 47 - International cooperation, inter alia, from UNICEF and WHO to enhance policies for children with disabilities. Para. 49 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WFP and WHO in the area of primary health. Para. 51 - International cooperation, inter alia, from UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS in the area of adolescent health, including HIV/AIDS prevention. Para. 60 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO and relevant NGOs, in the field of education. Para. 71 - To expand existing technical cooperation programmes with UNICEF and ILO/IPEC to develop a comprehensive policy to prevent and combat the growing problem of child labour. Para. 73 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNDCP, UNICEF and WHO to combat drug abuse. Para. 78 - To strengthen current cooperation with, inter alia, UNICEF to combat sexual exploitation and trafficking of children. Para. 82 - International cooperation and technical assistance with regard to juvenile justice from, inter alia, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, OHCHR, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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INDONESIA	CRC/C/3/Add.10 and Add.26 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.7 (preliminary) (fourth session) CRC/C/15/Add.25 (concluding) (sixth session)	Para. 19 - Law reforms to ensure conformity with the Convention (activities developed by the programme of advisory services and technical assistance of OHCHR). Para. 18 - Assistance from OHCHR for the review of child-related laws to ensure conformity with the Convention. Para. 23 - Technical advice from ILO on legislation and monitoring mechanisms for the protection of working children.
IRAN (ISLAMIC REP. OF)	CRC/C/41/Add.5 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.123 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 10 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and OHCHR, to improve intersectoral coordination and cooperation on the implementation of the Convention. Para. 12 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and OHCHR, to establish an independent monitoring body on the implementation of the Convention. Para. 14 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 32 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop skills training programmes to assist children in expressing their views and conducting public education campaigns to eradicate early and forced marriages.

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IRAN (ISLAMIC REP. OF) (cont'd)	CRC/C/41/Add.5 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.123 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO, for the training of professionals dealing with cases of child ill-treatment. Para. 42 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to enhance policies for children with disabilities. Para. 44 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS in the area of adolescent health, including HIV/AIDS prevention programmes. Para. 46 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, to establish special programmes for the protection of children living and/or working on the streets. Para. 48 - Assistance from UNICEF, UNESCO and relevant NGOs to strengthen the State party's educational system. Para. 50 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNHCR and UNICEF, for the protection of asylum-seeking and refugee children. Para. 52 - Expansion of existing technical cooperation programmes with UNICEF and ILO/IPEC to develop a comprehensive policy to prevent and combat the growing problem of child labour. Para. 54 - International cooperation and technical assistance with regard to juvenile justice from, inter alia, the United Nations Centre for Crime Prevention, OHCHR, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice through the Coordination Panel on Juvenile Justice.

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IRAQ	CRC/C/41/Add.3 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.94 (nineteenth session)	Para. 9 - International cooperation for the introduction of policies and programmes that guarantee the implementation of the existing legislation. Para. 13 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 15 - Cooperation from OHCHR, UNICEF and the International Committee of the Red Cross for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention, especially its translation into all minority languages, and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 23 - International cooperation for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat malnutrition in children. Para. 25 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professionals working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 29 - Technical cooperation for the clearance of landmines and for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for the victims of landmines. Para. 30 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.

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JAMAICA	CRC/C/8/Add.12 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.32 (eighth session)	Para. 18 - Assistance from OHCHR in undertaking law reform. Para. 19 - Meeting to discuss, within the framework of international cooperation, the implementation of the Convention. Para. 28 - Technical assistance from UNESCO for a thorough review of the educational system. Para. 29 - Assistance from ILO and UNICEF in the area of child labour. Para. 30 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in law reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
JORDAN	CRC/C/70/Add.4 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.125 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 21 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and OHCHR to establish an independent institution for monitoring and evaluating the implementation of the Convention. Para. 23 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 25 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of professionals working with or for children. Para. 32 - Assistance from the international community, including United Nations agencies, such as UNICEF and UNRWA, to develop social services for children belonging to the most vulnerable groups. Para. 40 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of skills-training programmes to assist children to express their informed decisions.

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JORDAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/70/Add.4 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.125 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 42 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 44 - To continue to seek assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO, WHO and relevant NGOs to strengthen policies for children with disabilities. Para. 46 - To continue cooperation with, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to increase the quality and coverage of post-natal care and for raising awareness and to disseminate materials on maternal health and family planning. Para. 48 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health education, including STDs and HIV/AIDS prevention programmes. Para. 52 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop special programmes for children living and/or working on the streets. Para. 54 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO and relevant NGOs in the field of education. Para. 58 - Assistance from, inter alia, ILO to implement the Plan of Action on child labour. Para. 60 - Assistance in the field of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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KENYA	CRC/C/3/Add.62 (initial report)	CRC/C/15/Add.160 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 11 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the reform of legislation. Para. 15 - Technical assistance from UNFPA, UNDP and UNICEF for the systematic collection of disaggregated data on children. Para. 17 - Technical assistance from UNICEF, among others, for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNESCO and UNICEF for the training and/or sensitization of professional groups working with and for children. Para. 28 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNAIDS, UNDP and WHO for the protection and support of children whose right to life, survival and development are threatened by the difficult socio-economic realities of the State party. Para. 42 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and UNDP for assistance to child victims of abuse. Para. 44 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, WHO and UNICEF through the Integrated Management of Childhood Illnesses and other measures for child health improvement. Para. 46 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in the field of adolescent health. Para. 50 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 54 - Cooperation with UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the State party's educational system.

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KENYA (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.62 (initial report)	CRC/C/15/Add.160 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 56 - Strengthening of cooperation with UNHCR with regard to refugee children. Para. 60 - Strengthening of cooperation with ILO/IPEC in the field of child labour. Para. 62 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice in Juvenile Justice.
KUWAIT	CRC/C/8/Add.35 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.97 (nineteenth session)	Para. 13 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 14 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 30 - International cooperation for the clearance of landmines. Para. 32 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.

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KYRGYZSTAN	CRC/C/41/Add.6 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.127 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 10 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 14 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention. Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 40 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the development of social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 42 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO, WHO and relevant NGOs for the training of professionals working with children with disabilities. Para. 44 - To continue working in cooperation with UNICEF and WHO for the reduction of child and infant mortality. Para. 46 - To continue working in cooperation with UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 50 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to establish special programmes for the protection of children living and/or working on the streets. Para. 52 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO and relevant NGOs to strengthen the State party's educational policies.

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KYRGYZSTAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/41/Add.6 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.127 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 54 - To continue and expand cooperation programmes with international agencies, such as UNHCR and UNICEF working in the field of asylum-seeking and refugee children. Para. 56 - Assistance from, inter alia, ILO in the field of child labour. Para. 58 - Assistance from international agencies such as WHO, UNICEF and UNDCP to protect children from drug and substance abuse. Para. 62 - Assistance in the field of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention and the International Network on Juvenile Justice.
LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC	CRC/C/8/Add.32 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.78 (sixteenth session)	Para. 30 - International cooperation with, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for a comprehensive review of legislation. Para. 35 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF in strengthening the monitoring capacity. Para. 36 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop public awareness about the Convention. Para. 37 - Assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the development of training on child rights for professional groups working with and for children. Para. 48 - Further international assistance for the implementation of article 28 of the Convention.

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LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC (cont'd)	CRC/C/8/Add.32 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.78 (sixteenth session)	Para. 50 - Technical assistance from ILO for the eventual ratification of ILO Convention No. 138. Para. 52 - Technical assistance from competent international organizations such as WHO to prevent and combat drug and substance abuse among children and support rehabilitation programmes. Para. 53 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention for legal reform in the administration of juvenile justice.
LATVIA	CRC/C/11/Add.22 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.142 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 14 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, OHCHR and UNDP for the establishment of an independent body easily accessible to children such as an Ombudsperson for children or a national commission for children's rights in accordance with the Paris principles. Para. 44 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
LEBANON	CRC/C/8/Add.23 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.54 (twelfth session)	Para. 44 - International assistance in the area of the administration of juvenile justice from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention. Para. 45 - Cooperation of relevant international agencies and institutions and other Governments with Lebanese authorities and voluntary organizations in the reconstruction effort.

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LEBANON (cont'd)	CRC/C/70/Add.8 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.169 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 14 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the development of child-related indicators. Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF to re-initiate the process of establishing an independent human rights institution. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the dissemination of the Convention, including by training of all the professional groups working with and for children. Para. 31 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF in order to develop skills-training prog.ammes in community settings for parents, teachers, social workers and local officials to support children to express their informed view and opinions. Para. 39 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO with reference to abused children. Para. 41 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF, WHO and relevant NGOs in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 43 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF in the are of health care. Para. 49 - Continuation of the cooperation with UNESCO and UNICEF in improving and activating the sector of education. Para. 57 - Assistance from ILO in order to ratify and implement ILO Convention No. 138 on the Minimum Age for Admission to Employment. Para. 61 - In the area of juvenile justice, assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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LESOTHO	CRC/C/11/Add.20 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.147 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 10 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the review of the State party's legislation and the enactment of a comprehensive child rights statute with a view to ensuring the full conformity of domestic legislation with the principles and provisions of the Convention. Para. 16 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the review and strengthening of the data collection system with a view to incorporating all the areas covered by the Convention. Para. 42 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF in the field of domestic violence, ill-treatment and child abuse, including sexual abuse. Para. 44 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the integrated management of childhood illnesses and for other measures for child health improvement. Para. 50 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 52 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO with a view to ensuring access to education to all children in the State party. Para. 62 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention and UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA	CRC/C/28/Add.6 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.84 (seventeenth session)	Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for training on the rights of the child for professional groups and incorporating the Convention in school and university curricula. Para. 22 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and ILO for collecting disaggregated data on children and for studies on vulnerable groups of children. Para. 26 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for research on chronic malnutrition, stunting and diarrhoea. Para. 31 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention and UNICEF for the reform of the system of juvenile justice and for training programmes on relevant international standards.
LITHUANIA	CRC/C/11/Add.21 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.146 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 57 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
MADAGASCAR	CRC/C/8/Add.5 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.26 (seventh session)	Para. 21 - Assistance from ILO to reinforce the State party's capacity to monitor the Convention in the area of child exploitation. Para. 22 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Branch in the area of administration of juvenile justice.

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MALAWI	CRC/C/8/Add.43 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.174 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 7 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the harmonization of the legislation with the Convention on the Rights of the Child and the adoption of a comprehensive children code. Para. 11 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNFPA, UNDP and UNICEF in order to develop indicators to effectively monitor and evaluate progress in the implementation of the Convention. Para. 13 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF to turn the Human Rights Commission and its Child Rights Unit into an independent national human rights institution, competent to monitor and evaluate progress in the implementation of the Convention. Para. 17 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNESCO and UNICEF for the dissemination of the Convention, including training of professional groups working with and for children. Para. 23 - Strengthening of cooperation with, among others, UNICEF, UNAIDS, UNDP and WHO with reference to the principle of non-discrimination. Para. 28 - Strengthening of technical cooperation with, among others, UNICEF, UNAIDS, UNDP and WHO in order to provide greater protection and support to children whose right to life, survival and development are threatened by the difficult socio-economic realities of the State party. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from UNICEF, and other international organizations, including non-governmental organizations in order to strengthen and increase alternative care opportunities for children deprived of a family environment.

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MALAWI (cont'd)	CRC/C/8/Add.43 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.174 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 42 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO with reference to child abuse. Para. 44 - Cooperation and assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF for child health improvement. Para. 48 - Further technical assistance from, among others, UNAIDS with respect to HIV/AIDS. Para. 52 - Technical cooperation from, among others, WHO for the training of professional staff, including teachers, working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 56 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO in the area of education. Para. 58 - Expansion of cooperation with international agencies such as, among others, UNHCR and UNICEF with reference to child refugees. Para. 60 - Continue the assistance from ILO/IPEC in the area of child labour. Para. 66 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF in the area of street children. Para. 69 - In the area of juvenile justice and police training, assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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MALDIVES	CRC/C/8/Add.33 and 37 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.91 (eighteenth session)	Para. 28 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop a comprehensive system of collecting disaggregated data. Para. 32 - International assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and training to all professional groups working with and for children. Para. 40 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 41 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNESCO and UNICEF to make primary education compulsory and available free to all, to improve the training of schoolteachers and the access to education of the most vulnerable groups of children. Para. 44 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to prevent and combat drug and substance abuse among children. Para. 45 - International assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for reform of the administration of juvenile justice.
MALI	CRC/C/28/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.113 (twenty-second session)	Para. 12 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 13 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention.

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MALI (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.113 (twenty-second session)	Para. 14 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 24 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 26 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat malnutrition in children and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 29 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 30 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for children victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 37 (d) - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.

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MARSHALL ISLANDS	CRC/C/28/Add.12 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.139 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 9 - Additional technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to undertake the review of all aspects of domestic legislation relating to children with a view to ensuring full conformity with the principles and provisions of the Convention. Para. 17 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNDP, UNICEF and OHCHR to establish an independent child-friendly body easily accessible to children such as an ombudsperson or a national commission for children's rights. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO to provide adequate and systematic training and/or sensitization of professional groups working with and for children, such as judges, lawyers, law enforcement personnel, teachers, school administrators and health personnel, and to sensitize civil society, including community leaders, NGOs and the media, about children's rights with a view also to changing negative traditional public attitudes, and to facilitate their participation in the dissemination and promotion of the Convention. Para. 43 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in the field of domestic violence, ill-treatment and abuse, including sexual abuse. Para. 45 - Continuation of technical cooperation programmes with the Asian Development Bank (ADB), UNICEF, WHO and others to improve primary health care. Para. 49 - Technical cooperation for the training of persons working with and for children with disabilities from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO.

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MARSHALL ISLANDS (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.12 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.139 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 51 - Continuation of technical cooperation programmes with the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and UNICEF and additional technical cooperation from WHO and UNAIDS on the issues of adolescent health and reproductive health. Para. 53 - Continuation of technical cooperation programmes with the ADB and other partners in order to develop a thorough and efficient educational system. Para. 55 - Technical cooperation from ILO for the development of the legislation on child labour. Para. 57 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to review the law and practices regarding the juvenile justice system in order to make it in full compliance with the Convention.
MAURITANIA	CRC/C/8/Add.42 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.159 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 10 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and OHCHR to conform to the State party's legislation, including customary laws, to the Convention. Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and OHCHR for the establishment of an independent and effective mechanism to monitor the implementation of the Convention. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF, UNESCO and OHCHR for the training and/or sensitization of professional groups working with and for children.

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MAURITANIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/8/Add.42 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.159 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 38 - International cooperation for the implementation of the immunization programme. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO and UNICEF with reference to children with disabilities. Para. 44 - Assistance from UNICEF and WHO with regard to traditional harmful practices, in particular female genital mutilation and forced feeding. Para. 50 - Assistance from ILO/IPEC in the area of child labour. Para. 52 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice and police training from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
MAURITIUS	CRC/C/3/Add.36 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.64 (thirteenth session)	Para. 24 - International cooperation for the development of a system of data collection and the identification of appropriate indicators. Para. 28 - International cooperation to address the issue of the impact of malnutrition on child development in connection with school drop-out and child labour; strengthening of cooperation with ILO and UNICEF. Para. 32 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of administration of juvenile justice.

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MEXICO	CRC/C/65/Add.6 and 16 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.112 (twenty-second session)	Para. 13 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 14 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention, and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 25 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international NGOs to develop educational programmes to combat traditional attitudes within society regarding child abuse. Para. 28 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNESCO to strengthen the educational policies and system. Para. 30 - Technical assistance from ILO/IPEC in the area of child labour. Para. 33 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF)	CRC/C/28/Add.5 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.86 (seventeenth session)	Para. 22 - International cooperation with, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the adoption of specific legislation for children and adolescents. Para. 27 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of a comprehensive system of data collection. Para. 28 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to increase public awareness about the Convention and develop appropriate material to further promote it.

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MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF) (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.5 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.86 (seventeenth session)	Para. 29 - Assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the development of training on child rights for professional groups working with and for children. Para. 39 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to protect children from economic exploitation. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO to prevent and combat drug and substance abuse among children and support rehabilitation programmes for child victims of such abuse. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
MONGOLIA	CRC/C/3/Add.32 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.48 (eleventh session)	Para. 30 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention, in the framework of ongoing technical assistance programmes, in law reform in the field of children's rights and training of professionals working with children, with special attention to training in the relevant international standards; assistance to current efforts from other organizations, including ILO, UNHCR, UNICEF and WHO, and the international community.
MOROCCO	CRC/C/28/Add.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.60 (thirteenth session)	Para. 19 - Pursue cooperation with OHCHR in the field of training on the rights of the child and human rights. Para. 22 - Implementation of policies and measures for the promotion and protection of the rights of the child both at central and local levels in cooperation with United Nations bodies and specialized agencies, including UNICEF and ILO.

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MOROCCO (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.60 (thirteenth session)	Para. 24 - Further technical cooperation from ILO with a view to envisaging ratifying ILO Convention No. 138. Para. 28 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of the administration of juvenile justice.
MOZAMBIQUE	CRC/C/41/Add.11 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.172 (twenty-ninth session)	Para. 12 - Assistance from UNICEF and OHCHR for the drafting and adoption of a comprehensive children's code. Para. 26 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF with regard to girls in education and the involvement of communities in eliminating gender inequalities. Para. 47 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and WHO in the area of basic health care. Para. 53 - Technical and other relevant assistance from UNICEF, UNAIDS and WHO in the area of HIV/AIDS. Para. 57 - Technical assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO. Para. 65 - Technical assistance from ILO/IPEC in the area of child labour. Para. 73 - In the area of juvenile justice and police training, assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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MYANMAR	CRC/C/8/Add.9 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.69 (fourteenth session)	Para. 31 - Cooperation for the promotion and protection of the rights of the child with United Nations bodies and specialized agencies. Para. 35 - Cooperation with United Nations bodies including UNICEF, the specialized agencies and national and/or international NGOs for the development of a comprehensive training programme especially focusing on child abuse. Para. 45 - International assistance from appropriate United Nations bodies, including UNICEF, the specialized agencies and NGOs for the full implementation of article 39 of the Convention. Para. 46 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of the administration of juvenile justice.
NAMIBIA	CRC/C/3/Add.12 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.14 (fifth session)	Para. 12 - Consideration to be given to the possibility of Namibia becoming a party to all major international human rights instruments (assistance from OHCHR). Para. 20 - Administration of juvenile justice (continued cooperation with OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention and UNICEF).
NEPAL	CRC/C/3/Add.34 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.57 (twelfth session)	Para. 26 - International cooperation with, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF in ensuring specific training activities on the Convention to professional groups working with and for children, including teachers, social workers, health personnel, judges and law enforcement officials.

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NEPAL (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.34 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.57 (twelfth session)	Para. 35 - Cooperation with ILO in the area of child labour, with a view to considering ratifying ILO Convention No. 138, review national legislation to bring it in conformity with the Convention and other relevant international standards, ensuring enforcement of child labour laws, protecting children involved in informal sector. Para. 38 - Technical assistance programme to be developed with OHCHR including in the areas of law reform in the field of children's rights and training of professionals working with children, awareness and information campaigns on the Convention, establishment of a Commission on Human Rights or other independent mechanisms to monitor children's rights issues. Para. 39 - Technical assistance from relevant international organizations, including ILO, UNHCR, UNICEF and WHO, with consideration being given to developing a task force of such international organizations present in the country.
NICARAGUA	CRC/C/3/Add.25 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.36 (ninth session)	Para. 32 - General implementation measures, with particular attention to the most vulnerable groups of children. Support for initiatives designed to facilitate international cooperation in assisting the State party to meet its obligations under the Convention. Para. 40 - Further technical assistance from ILO in the area of legal reforms and preventive campaigns to address the issue of child labour.

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NICARAGUA (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.4 and 14 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.108 (twenty-first session)	Para. 16 - International cooperation to guarantee the full implementation of the Code on Children and Adolescents. Para. 18 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, to continue working in the development of its data-collection system. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, to publicize the Convention through methods that take into consideration the specific needs of indigenous groups. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to continue undertaking systematic training of professionals working for and with children. Para. 22 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 26 - International cooperation to continue undertaking all available measures to ensure the immediate registration of the births of all children. Para. 33 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 34 - International cooperation to continue undertaking all efforts to ensure access to basic health care and services for all children. Para. 35 - To continue, supported by international cooperation, with its efforts in the prevention of HIV/AIDS. Para. 36 - Technical cooperation for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities.

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NICARAGUA (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.4 and 14 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.108 (twenty-first session)	Para. 38 - Cooperation from international agencies for the remapping, clearance and destruction of landmines. Para. 40 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC for the full implementation of the national plan for the elimination of child labour. Para. 44 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to conduct training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
NIGERIA	CRC/C/8/Add.26 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.61 (thirteenth session)	Para. 38 - Further international cooperation for the implementation of measures identified for the application of the provisions of articles 28 and 29 of the Convention.
OMAN	CRC/C/78/Add.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.161 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 17 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the establishment of a comprehensive database for children. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution. Para. 23 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of all professional groups working with and for children. Para. 32 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the development of skills-training programmes in community settings for parents, teachers, social workers and local officials to support children to express their informed views and opinions.

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OMAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/78/Add.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.161 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 36 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO, in the area of child abuse and neglect. Para. 38 - Assistance from UNICEF and WHO for the strengthening of health and nutrition education. Para. 40 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 42 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 46 - Assistance from UNICEF and UNESCO in the field of human rights education. Para. 50 - Assistance from, among others, ILO in the area of child labour. Para. 52 - Assistance from ILO in the area of camel racing. Para. 54 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to conduct training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
PAKISTAN	CRC/C/3/Add.13 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.18 (sixth session)	Para. 31 - Assistance from OHCHR for reviewing the system of the administration of juvenile justice. Para. 32 - Technical advice from ILO for evaluating the adequacy of measures taken to deal with issues of the exploitation of children.

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PAKISTAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.13 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.18 (sixth session)	Para. 34 - Continued cooperation with IGOs and NGOs, for improving the situation of children; assistance and advice from OHCHR, UNICEF, ILO and other interested organizations and agencies for programmes to implement the Convention.
PALAU	CRC/C/51/Add.3 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.149 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 13 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to ensure that the State party's law conforms fully to the principles and provisions of the Convention and to assist in the preparation of a comprehensive code for children. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNFPA and UNICEF for the development of a comprehensive system of data collection incorporating all the areas covered by the Convention. Para. 27 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of State officials, parliamentarians and professional groups working with and for children, such as judges, lawyers, law enforcement personnel, teachers, school administrators and health personnel, including psychologists and social workers, as well as traditional community leaders and helpers. Para. 43 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF in the context of domestic violence, child abuse, including sexual abuse and ill-treatment, and neglect of children. Para. 49 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to promote adolescent health policies and services and to further strengthen reproductive health education. Para. 51 - Technical cooperation from, inter alia, WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities.

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PALAU (cont'd)	CRC/C/51/Add.3 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.149 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 53 - Closer cooperation with UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the State party's educational system. Para. 57 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the United Nations International Narcotics Control Board for the development of rehabilitation programmes dealing with child victims of alcohol, drug and substance abuse. Para. 61 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
PANAMA	CRC/C/8/Add.28 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.68 (fourteenth session)	Para. 25 - Technical assistance from UNICEF for developing the data-collection system and identifying appropriate disaggregated indicators. Para. 27 - Technical assistance from appropriate intergovernmental organizations, including OHCHR and UNICEF, and NGOs for training and education on the Convention and the inclusion of children's rights in school curricula. Para. 33 - Assistance from ILO in the area of child labour. Para. 34 - Cooperation with UNHCR to develop procedures to facilitate family reunification, appoint legal representatives for unaccompanied children and apply child-friendly interview techniques. Para. 36 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of the administration of juvenile justice.

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PARAGUAY	CRC/C/3/Add.22 and 47 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.27 and 75 (seventh and fifteenth sessions)	Para. 16 - Incorporation in the activities organized under the joint programme of technical cooperation currently provided by OHCHR and UNDP of the concerns raised by the Committee. Para. 32 - International cooperation for the development of a system of data collection and the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators. Para. 48 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention to undertake a comprehensive reform in the area of the juvenile justice system.
	CRC/C/65/Add.12 (second periodic report)	CRC/C/15/Add.166 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and OHCHR in order to establish an independent and effective mechanism to monitor the Convention and deal with complaints from children. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF, UNESCO and OHCHR for the systematic training and/or sensitization of professional groups working with and for children. Para. 34 - International assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the improvement of social assistance to families with regard to their child-rearing responsibilities, including through counselling and community-based programmes, with a focus on early stimulation. Para. 36 - International cooperation and technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO for the physical and psychological recovery and social reintegration of children victims of abuse. Para. 38 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO, UNICEF and the Population Fund (UNFPA) for programmes to prevent child mortality and morbidity and maternal mortality.

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PARAGUAY (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.12 (second periodic report)	CRC/C/15/Add.166 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, among others, WHO with regard to the situation of children with disabilities. Para. 42 - Additional technical cooperation from, among others, UNFPA, UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS with regard to adolescent health. Para. 44 - Additional technical cooperation from, among others, UNESCO and UNICEF with regard to education. Para. 52 - Assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
PERU	CRC/C/3/Add.7 (initial) CRC/C/65/Add.8 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.8 (fourth session) CRC/C/15/Add.120 (twenty-third session)	Para. 19 - International assistance to address more effectively the challenge of improving the situation of children in especially difficult circumstances. Para. 14 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 15 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop a locally based system to monitor and evaluate the situation of children living in areas of extreme poverty in order to give priority to budget allocations for these areas. Para. 22 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international NGOs to develop educational programmes to combat traditional attitudes within society regarding child abuse. Para. 23 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities.

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PERU (cont'd)	CRC/C/65/Add.8 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.120 (twenty-third session)	Para. 24 - International cooperation, inter alia, from UNICEF, WHO and UNAIDS in the area of adolescent health, including HIV/AIDS prevention. Para. 25 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational policies and system. Para. 26 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC in the area of child labour. Para. 28 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
PHILIPPINES	CRC/C/3/Add.23 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.29 (eighth session)	Para. 26 - Technical assistance from ILO to implement the provisions of article 32 of the Convention. Para. 27 - Assistance in the administration of juvenile justice (law reform and training) from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention.
POLAND	CRC/C/8/Add.11 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.31 (eighth session)	Para. 31 - Technical assistance from UNHCR to address within legal reform the issue of unaccompanied children and children having been refused refugee status and awaiting deportation. Para. 32 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of juvenile justice (law reform and training). Para. 35 - Technical assistance and advice from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF in implementing the Convention (in particular to harmonize national legislation with the Convention, develop a coordinating and monitoring mechanism on children's rights and adopt a comprehensive social policy with child rights as a priority).

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QATAR	CRC/C/51/Add. 5 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.163 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the establishment of a database for children. Para. 23 - Technical assistance from, among others, the OHCHR, UNICEF and the European Network of Ombudspersons for Children for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution. Para. 27 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 40 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF for skills-training programmes for parents, teachers, social workers and local officials to support children to express their informed views and opinions. Para. 46 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of child abuse and neglect. Para. 48 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 50 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 52 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and UNESCO in the area of human rights education. Para. 56 - Assistance from, among others, ILO in the area of child labour. Para. 58 - Assistance from ILO in the area of camel racing. Para. 60 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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REPUBLIC OF KOREA	CRC/C/8/Add.21 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.51 (eleventh session)	Para. 30 - Consultation with ILO to pursue efforts to adopt appropriate measures to reflect fully the Convention in the area of child labour, including through consideration of the ratification of ILO Convention No. 138. Para. 31 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of administration of juvenile justice.
ROMANIA	CRC/C/3/Add.16 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.16 (fifth session)	Para. 23 - Continued cooperation with OHCHR in the field of advisory services and technical assistance and support from the international community in the field of child rights.
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	CRC/C/3/Add.5 (initial) CRC/C/65/Add.5 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.4 (third session) CRC/C/15/Add.110 (twenty-second session)	Para. 20 - International cooperation for support in the procurement and manufacture of vaccines. Para. 15 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 39 - International assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO, to conduct a thorough reform of the procedures and conditions in institutions for children deprived of a family environment. Para. 42 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO, to enhance policies for children with disabilities. Para. 46 - Technical assistance to continue efforts to reverse the deterioration in primary health. Para. 60 - Technical assistance from ILO/IPEC to develop a comprehensive policy to prevent and combat the growing problem of child labour. Para. 72 - International cooperation and technical assistance with regard to juvenile justice from, inter alia, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, OHCHR, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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RWANDA	CRC/C/8/Add.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.12 (preliminary) (fourth session)	Para. 3 - Technical advice and assistance for the preparation of the report (art. 45 (b) of the Convention).
ST. KITTS AND NEVIS	CRC/C/3/Add.51 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.104 (twenty-first session)	Para. 8 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to ensure that the State party's domestic legislation is in full conformity with the Convention. Para. 11 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 14 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 15 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention, and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to ensure that the rights of children born of "visiting" and "common law" relations are protected. Para. 25 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse.

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ST. KITTS AND NEVIS (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.51 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.104 (twenty-first session)	Para. 26 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat child malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 27 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 28 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 30 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for child victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 31 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform and training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
SAUDI ARABIA	CRC/C/61/Add.2 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.148 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 16 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop a mechanism to systematically collect and analyse data on persons under 18. Para. 18 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and UNICEF for the establishment of an independent national human rights institution. Para. 20 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and UNICEF for the training for all professional groups working with children.

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SAUDI ARABIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/61/Add.2 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.148 (twenty-sixth session)	Para. 30 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of skills-training programmes in community settings for teachers, social workers and local officials to assist children to express their informed views and opinions. Para. 36 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in the context of domestic violence, child abuse, including sexual abuse, and ill-treatment of children. Para. 38 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the development of adolescent health policies and programmes. Para. 40 - Assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO for the reform of curricula and teaching methods which stresses the importance of developing critical thinking and problem-solving. Para. 42 - Technical assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
SENEGAL	CRC/C/3/Add.31 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.44 (tenth session)	Para. 27 - Technical assistance from ILO to ensure that reform of child labour legislation should address the situation of children working in the informal sector, paying due attention to domestic service.
SIERRA LEONE	CRC/C/3/Add.43 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.116 (twenty-third session)	Paras. 15 and 17 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 55 - International cooperation to rebuild national health infrastructure and to ensure children's access to basic health services. Para. 58 - International cooperation for children with disabilities. Para. 60 - Assistance from, inter alia, WHO and UNAIDS for the prevention and care of children infected or affected by HIV/AIDS.

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SIERRA LEONE (cont'd)	CRC/C/3/Add.43 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.116 (twenty-third session)	Para. 64 - Technical assistance to develop psychological care for children. Para. 66 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 74 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop a comprehensive programme of assistance for the rehabilitation and reintegration of children affected by the armed conflict. Para. 75 - International cooperation to assist children displaced by the internal conflict. Para. 81 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC for the establishment and implementation of a national plan of action for the elimination of child labour. Para. 84 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for child victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 93 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to conduct training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
SLOVAKIA	CRC/C/28/Add.14 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.140 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 10 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to establish a mechanism to systematically collect and analyse disaggregated data. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO, WHO and relevant NGOs in the field of children with disabilities. Para. 38 - Continuation of cooperation with, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO with regard to adolescent health problems.

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SLOVAKIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.14 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.140 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 50 - Continuation of international cooperation with authorities abroad with regard to child victims of sexual abuse and exploitation. Para. 52 - Assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice to ensure that conditions in detention conform to international standards and that there are effective independent mechanisms available to receive and address concerns raised by detainees.
SRI LANKA	CRC/C/8/Add.13 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.40 (ninth session)	Para. 26 - Technical assistance from OHCHR in the legislative review in the areas of child abuse, child labour and juvenile justice. Para. 32 - International technical assistance for the training of professional groups, including teachers, law enforcement personnel, social workers and the military, with respect to the provisions of the Convention. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from ILO in the perspective of legislative reform on child labour.
SOUTH AFRICA	CRC/C/51/Add.2 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.122 (twenty-third session)	Para. 14 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF in the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 15 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 16 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training on the Convention of professionals working with and for children.

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SOUTH AFRICA (cont'd)	CRC/C/51/Add.2 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.122 (twenty-third session)	Para. 27 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international NGOs for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 29 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 32 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 34 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 38 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the International Narcotics Control Board for the establishment of rehabilitation programmes for children victims of drug and substance abuse. Para. 42 (d) - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to conduct training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
SUDAN	CRC/C/3/Add.3 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.10 (fourth session)	Para. 20 - Continued cooperation with IGOs and NGOs to improve measures to alleviate the suffering of children.

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SURINAME	CRC/C/28/Add.11 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.130 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 8 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR to undertake legislative reform in the field of children's rights. Para. 12 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNFPA and UNICEF to establish a data-collection system covering all children up to the age of 18 years. Para. 18 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of professionals working with and for children and for the dissemination of the Convention. Para. 40 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop educational programmes and awareness-raising campaigns to combat traditional attitudes within society regarding child abuse. Para. 44 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 46 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health, including HIV/AIDS and STDs prevention programmes. Para. 48 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 52 - Closer cooperation with UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the State party's educational system.

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SURINAME (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.11 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.130 (twenty-fourth session)	Para. 56 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, WHO and the United Nations International Narcotics Control Board, to protect children from illicit use of alcohol, narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances. Para. 60 (d) - Technical assistance in the field of juvenile justice from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	CRC/C/28/Add.2 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.70 (fourteenth session)	Para. 22 - Cooperation with UNICEF for improving the data-collection system and identifying appropriate and specific disaggregated indicators. Para. 30 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention to undertake a reform of the system of juvenile justice. Para. 31 - Cooperation with UNICEF and national and international NGOs for the conduct of studies, notably in the fields of health, education and human rights education, and early marriage and child abuse.
TAJIKISTAN	CRC/C/28/Add.14 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.136 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 15 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to ensure that the State Statistical Agency systematically collects data on persons under 18 and to establish a mechanism to analyse them. Para. 17 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to establish a national human rights institution. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to develop systematic and ongoing training programmes on the provisions of the Convention for all professional groups working with children (e.g. legislators, judges, lawyers, law enforcement officials, civil servants, local government officials, personnel working in institutions and places of detention for children, teachers, health personnel, including psychologists, and social workers).

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TAJIKISTAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.14 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.136 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 31 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop measures to reduce and prevent the abandonment of children, strengthen systems alternative to institutionalization, and to provide adequate training and support for all personnel working in institutions. Para. 35 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO with regard to all forms of physical and mental violence, including corporal punishment and sexual abuse against children in the family, schools and care institutions. Para. 37 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF, UNESCO and WHO to review existing policies and practices in relation to children with disabilities. Para. 39 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to provide primary health care, including implementation of the Integrated Management of Childhood Illnesses strategy, and by undertaking awareness-raising campaigns to ensure families are adequately informed of the need to be registered in polyclinics, and to establish comprehensive family planning programmes. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to develop adolescent health policies and programmes. Para. 43 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to implement the Education for All Strategic Programme.

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TAJIKISTAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.14 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.136 (twenty-fifth session)	Para. 45 - To continue and expand cooperation with international agencies such as UNHCR and UNICEF to establish and implement a functioning system for family reunification to better protect children against separation from their parents. Para. 49 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, ILO with regard to the elimination of the worst forms of child labour. Para. 51 - Reinforcing of bilateral and regional cooperation, including cooperation with neighbouring countries, with regard to commercial sexual exploitation of children. Para. 53 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice, and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice to fully integrate into the legislation and practice the provisions of the Convention and to develop facilities and programmes for the physical and psychological recovery and social reintegration of juveniles.
TANZANIA	CRC/C/8/Add.14/ Rev.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.156 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 11 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the development of a children's code. Para. 15 - Technical assistance from, among others, the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and UNICEF to develop a data-collection mechanism incorporating all areas covered by the Convention and covering all children below the age of 18 years. Para. 21 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training and/or sensitization of professional groups working with and for children and the incorporation of human rights, especially the Convention, into the school curricula at all levels.

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TANZANIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/8/Add.14/ Rev.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.156 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 31 - Technical cooperation with, among others, UNICEF to provide greater protection and support to children whose right to life, survival and development are unduly threatened by the difficult socio-economic realities of the State party. Para. 45 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and UNDP in the field of abuse and neglect of children. Para. 47 - Continuation of cooperation with, among others, WHO and UNICEF through the Integrated Management of Childhood Illnesses and other measures for child health improvement. Para. 49 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO with regard to adolescent health. Para. 53 - Technical cooperation with, among others, WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 57 - Cooperation with UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 59 - Cooperation with UNHCR to ensure the adequate protection of refugee, asylum-seeking and unaccompanied children and to implement programmes to guarantee adequate access to health, education and social services. Para. 67 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice in Juvenile Justice in the field of administration of juvenile justice.

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THAILAND	CRC/C/11/Add.13 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.97 (nineteenth session)	Para. 14 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 15 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention, including its translation into all minority languages, and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 24 - International cooperation for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat malnutrition in children. Para. 26 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 28 - Technical assistance from UNHCR to introduce legislation for the protection of refugee children. Para. 31 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, for legal reform in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA	CRC/C/8/Add.36 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.118 (twenty-third session)	Para. 11 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to develop a cross-ministerial plan of action for the implementation of the Convention. Para. 15 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training on the Convention of professionals working with and for children. Para. 35 - International cooperation for children with disabilities.

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THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA (cont'd)	CRC/C/8/Add.36 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.118 (twenty-third session)	Para. 37 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to prevent and combat child malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 39 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO and UNAIDS in the area of HIV/AIDS prevention. Para. 41 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, WHO to strengthen adolescent health policies. Para. 45 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system. Para. 55 - Technical assistance from UNICEF to ensure the equal implementation of the Convention, especially for children belonging to minority groups.
TOGO	CRC/C/3/Add.42 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.83 (sixteenth session)	Para. 33 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF for the development of a system of data collection and analysis. Para. 52 - Technical assistance from relevant organizations such as WHO for measures to prevent and combat drug and substance abuse among children and support rehabilitation programmes. Para. 54 - Seeking and reinforcing existing technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention for a comprehensive reform of the juvenile justice system.
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	CRC/C/11/Add.10 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.82 (sixteenth session)	Para. 26 - Technical assistance for the development of a system of data collection. Para. 36 - International assistance in the area of education (full implementation of articles 28 and 29).

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TUNISIA	CRC/C/11/Add.2 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.39 (ninth session)	Para. 15 - Technical assistance from ILO for the possible ratification of ILO Convention No. 138 and campaigns to prevent the entry of adolescents into the labour force. Para. 16 - Consultations with UNHCR with a view to considering the adoption of relevant legislative provisions regarding the rights of refugee and asylum-seeking children.
TURKEY	CRC/C/51/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.152 (twenty-seventh session)	Para. 20 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF and OHCHR for the development of a mechanism to monitor the implementation of the Convention, deal with complaints and provide remedies for violations of children's rights. Para. 42 - Cooperation with UNICEF on enhancing family capacity. Para. 52 - International cooperation for the implementation of the immunization programme. Para. 66 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR, the United Nations Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF through the United Nations Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice in the field of administration of juvenile justice.
UGANDA	CRC/C/3/Add.40 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.80 (sixteenth session)	Para. 26 - Technical assistance for harmonizing national legislation with the provisions and principles of the Convention. Para. 27 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF to review the system of data collection and identify appropriate disaggregated indicators. Para. 36 - Technical assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention for a comprehensive reform of the system of juvenile justice.

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UKRAINE	CRC/C/8/Add.10/ Rev.1 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.42 (tenth session)	Para. 24 - International support for measures to cope with the negative consequences of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster, in particular in the social, health and environmental areas.
URUGUAY	CRC/C/3/Add.37 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.62 (thirteenth session)	Para. 18 - Further cooperation with UNICEF in gathering systematic quantitative and qualitative disaggregated data with a view to evaluating progress and difficulties and setting priorities for future action. Para. 24 - Assistance from OHCHR and the Centre for International Crime Prevention in the area of the administration of juvenile justice. Para. 25 - Assistance from ILO to address the issue of child labour.
UZBEKISTAN	CRC/C/41/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.168 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 15 - Technical assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the establishment of a mechanism to collect and analyse disaggregated data on children. Para. 17 - Technical assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the expansion of the mandate of the Institute of the Authorised Person to include monitoring and evaluating progress in the implementation of the Convention. Para. 21 - Assistance from, among others, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training of professional groups working with and for children. Para. 34 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF for the development of skills-training programmes in community settings for teachers, social workers and local officials to support children to express their informed views and opinions. Para. 46 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of child abuse.

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UZBEKISTAN (cont'd)	CRC/C/41/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.167 (twenty-eighth session)	Para. 50 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO for the improvement of child health. Para. 52 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of adolescent health. Para. 56 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and WHO in the area of children with disabilities. Para. 58 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF and UNESCO for the improvement of the education system. Para. 60 - Continuation and strengthening of the cooperation with UNHCR for the protection of refugees. Para. 64 - Assistance from, among others, UNICEF in the area of street children. Para. 66 - Assistance from ILO in the area of child labour. Para. 70 - Assistance in the area of juvenile justice from, among others, OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.
VANUATU	CRC/C/28/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.111 (twenty-second session)	Para. 7 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF to ensure that the State party's domestic legislation is in full conformity with the Convention. Para. 9 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to implement fully the National Programme of Action for Children.

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VANUATU (cont'd)	CRC/C/28/Add.8 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.111 (twenty-second session)	Para. 11 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 12 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR, UNICEF and UNESCO for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention, and for the training of professionals working with and for children. Para. 17 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 18 - International cooperation programmes from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO to improve primary health care. Para. 19 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the training of professional staff working with and for children with disabilities. Para. 21 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and UNESCO to strengthen the educational system and to conduct a public education campaign on the importance of education. Para. 23 - International cooperation and technical assistance with regard to juvenile justice from, inter alia, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, OHCHR, UNICEF and the International Network on Juvenile Justice, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice.

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VENEZUELA	CRC/C/3/Add.54 CRC/C/3/Add.59 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.109 (twenty-second session)	Para. 13 - To continue work supported by international cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF in the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 15 - International cooperation from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF for the training on the Convention of professionals working with and for children. Para. 16 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 25 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and international NGOs for the development of legislation, social programmes and rehabilitation measures to prevent and combat child abuse. Para. 26 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat malnutrition in children and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 31 - To continue working in cooperation with ILO/IPEC for the establishment and implementation of a national plan of action for the elimination of child labour. Para. 34 (d) - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordination Panel on Technical Advice and Assistance in Juvenile Justice, to conduct training activities in the field of the administration of juvenile justice.
VIET NAM	CRC/C/3/Add.4 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.3 (third session)	Para. 8 - Administration of juvenile justice (training course to be organized by OHCHR).

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YEMEN	CRC/C/70/Add.1 (second periodic)	CRC/C/15/Add.102 (twentieth session)	Para. 9 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, OHCHR and UNICEF in the area of reporting obligations. Para. 12 - International cooperation, including from UNICEF, for the identification of appropriate disaggregated indicators for all areas covered by the Convention and for all groups of children under 18. Para. 13 - Cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and NGOs for the dissemination of the principles and provisions of the Convention. Para. 15 - International cooperation to support the State party in fulfilling its obligations under article 4 of the Convention. Para. 24 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNICEF and WHO for the establishment of programmes such as "Integrated Management of Childhood Illness" to prevent and combat children's malnutrition and reduce the incidence of child and infant mortality. Para. 28 - International cooperation from, inter alia, UNHCR and UNESCO for the strengthening of the educational system. Para. 30 - Technical assistance from, inter alia, UNHCR for the introduction of legislation for the protection of refugee children. Para. 31 - International cooperation for the clearance of landmines and for the establishment of rehabilitation measures for children affected by armed conflicts. Para. 34 - Technical assistance from OHCHR, the Centre for International Crime Prevention, the International Network on Juvenile Justice and UNICEF, through the Coordinated Panel on Juvenile Justice.
ZIMBABWE	CRC/C/3/Add.35 (initial)	CRC/C/15/Add.55 (twelfth session)	Para. 32 - Assistance from ILO in considering recommendations made by ILO in 1993 and in particular to prohibit employment below 18 in hazardous activities and to make education free and compulsory up to 15.